

Peck House
Goliad, Texas.

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PECK HOUSE
Goliad, Goliad County, Texas.

Owner: Mrs. John Von Dohlen

Date of Erection: Started in 1849; completed in 1852

Architect: Mrs. Barton Peck

Builder: Mr. Barton Peck

Present Condition: Excellent

Number of Stories: Two stories and basement.

Materials of Construction: Rock foundation and walls, and cement plaster.

Other Existing Records: San Antonio Express Nov. 27, 1932.

Additional Data:

The Peck House is built of limestone, with quoined corners. It is classical in style with its two story porch pediment. The kitchen is a separate rock building.

It has eight rooms on the first floor and four bedrooms and hall on second floor. There is an open fireplace in each room. The second floor at first was not partitioned; it was used as slave quarters, and reached by a ladder at the side of the house.

Today there is a beautiful hardwood curved stairway in the center hall. This stairway was probably added about 1880.

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